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constitutional amendment that has been discussed or any of the other tax legislation, it's the type of groundwork that if it can be done successfully, and I believe it can be, it can become a foundation point on which future tax policies are considered and changed. I think it will provide us an opportunity to determine impact in a more objective way than what we otherwise are faced with without this type of data. And I hope the body would approve it. But, again, I would remind you that the Legislature will have a second opportunity in the adoption of the study resolution which will come later, because if that would fail to happen, then the appropriation, since it is directly tied to LR 147, would be an inoperable appropriation without the approval of the resolution.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Warner. We will now vote on the Warner amendment. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of Senator Warner and Hall's amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: Madam President, I do have other amendments, however, I have a priority motion and that is Senator Will would move to reconsider the vote on Senator Rod Johnson's amendment that was considered yesterday.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Will.

SENATOR WILL: Thank you, Madam President, and members of the body, I'm moving to reconsider the amendment that was defeated just prior to adjournment last night. This was an amendment dealing with predator control that Senator Rod Johnson had introduced. And I opposed the amendment and I probably will continue to oppose it. However, at the time that the vote was taken, there were 16 people gone and Senator Rod Johnson was four votes short of having his amendment adopted. And I don't think, unless it's an amendment that I really am not pleased with, I don't think anyone ought to lose their amendment with 16 people gone. So I would move to reconsider the Rod Johnson amendment, give Senator Johnson a chance to explain it for those of us that weren't here and...and even though I was here, but for those of you who weren't, Senator Johnson will have a chance to explain it to you and you can decide on the merits of the